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Amendments to the Specification:

Please replace paragraph 0004 with the following amended paragraph:

U.S. Patent No. ~~[[5,470,247]]~~5,740,247 describes a cellular telephone communication refill system. This system includes an apparatus that meters payment according to a predetermined parameter (e.g., a number of calls, an amount of funds, etc.). The predetermined parameter is stored within a secured metering device of the apparatus.